RESOURCE USAGE METERING OF NETWORK SERVICES
ABSTRACT

Process accounting information is recorded, together with service request logs written by
5 e-service applications. These two sets of information are aggregated and correlated, to generate usage metrics relating to resource usage for individual service requests. Such per-request information can be used as a basis for charging users making such requests. Services requests often simultaneously consume computing resources, in which case resource usage is proportionally divided between such simultaneous service requests.

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